

REMARKS

The Examiner's careful review of the application is appreciated. Claims 1 - 5, 8, 16 - 19 are canceled without prejudice. The Examiner indicated claims 10 - 15 allowable as originally submitted. The Examiner indicated claims 6 and 9 allowable if amended to include the base claim and any intervening claims. They have been so amended. Claim 7 depends from claim 6 and should therefore be allowable. Accordingly, formal Notice of Allowance of claims 6, 7, 9 - 15 is respectfully solicited.

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Respectfully submitted,



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